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N. H. DIRECTORS ADHERE TO DECISION

Not to Sell to State of Massachusetts Their Holdings of Boston and Maine Stock.

NO REQUEST FOR RECEIVERSHIP CONTEMPLATED

Nor Will They Consent to a Receivership—Declare the Company is Solvent, is Earning Fixed Charges, and is Able to Meet Current Obligations Promptly—Committee of Three Appointed to Take Interstate Commerce Commission's Recent Report Under Consideration—Billard Did Not Appear at Meeting—No Resignations.

New York, July 16.—By unanimous vote of the directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad at a special meeting held here today, it was decided to stand by their decision not to sell the state of Massachusetts their holdings of Boston and Maine Railroad stock under the terms of the state.

The terms imposed by the state of Massachusetts in connection with the sale of New Haven's Boston and Maine stock contain the provision that each certificate must bear a stipulation on the part of purchaser that he will sell his shares to the state of Massachusetts at any time named.

The New Haven directors took the ground in a recent official statement that compliance with this condition would render the stock undesirable as a purchase on any fair basis.

Denial of Receivership Rumors. Emphatic denial was made of the rumors recently current that application for a receivership was contemplated. On this point the statement of the directors will not apply for, nor will they consent to a receivership. The company is solvent, is earning its fixed charges, and is able to meet its current obligations promptly.

President James H. Husted, who presided at today's meeting in the absence of Chairman Howard Elliott, now taking a vacation, declined to amplify the formal statement dealing with the Boston and Maine situation. It was understood, however, that the New Haven directors had reopened negotiations with the department of justice at Washington on this point, and that further extension of time might be granted by the federal authorities pending an adjustment of this question.

As a matter of fact, Attorney General McReynolds gave the New Haven directors until midnight of yesterday to arrive at some agreement regarding the sale of the Boston and Maine stock. This time was extended by the officials at Washington when they learned that a special meeting of the New Haven board had been called for today.

Important Session. The session of the board was in some respects the most important since that at which the resignation of Charles S. McGowan was accepted. Mr. Elliott elected as his successor. Among other momentous questions, the board was called to consider the interstate commerce commission's recent scathing denunciation and arraignment for the former management. The only direct reference to this arraignment was contained in the bare announcement that the commission's report would be considered.

Wilson Will Not Recognize Carballo. To Continue Watchful Waiting Policy Until Situation is Clarified. Washington, July 16.—President Wilson will not recognize Provisional President Carballo nor any other government in Mexico not set up through a legal election or in accordance with the protocols signed at Niagara Falls.

The expectation of the administration is that arrangements will be made for the peaceful entry of the constitutionalists into Mexico City in case Carranza and his generals refuse to accept President Carballo pending the holding of an election. President Wilson believes other nations will not recognize any new government until the United States has indicated its attitude. For that reason he thinks the constitutionalists have no objection to Carballo except on the score that he has received his power from Huerta and is willing to keep him if the constitutionalists will agree, as provision president until elections.

White House officials were confident today that the constitutionalists would be temperate in their acts when they enter Mexico City. They believe there is no danger of wholesale killing or looting. Senator Riano, the Spanish ambassador, called upon Secretary Bryan today to make representations for the safety of Spanish citizens in Mexico City. He was unable to say whether the Spanish embassy would continue to represent Mexico in the United States under Provisional President Carballo.

30 REPORTED KILLED IN TROLLEY COLLISION With Freight Train on Virginian Railroad Near Norfolk, Va. Norfolk, Va., July 16.—Thirty people are reported to have been killed as the result of a collision between a trolley car and a Virginian railroad freight train at a crossing about three miles from Norfolk.

Drowned Trying to Swim Housatonic. Woodbury, Conn., July 16.—Lester McCoy, 19 years old, of Steeple, Pa., was drowned today while attempting to swim the Housatonic river at Bennett's bridge. The body has not been recovered. McCoy was one of a party of summer campers at Bennett's bridge for a day's recreation.

Cabled Paragraphs

No Cause for Duel. Paris, July 16.—The seconds appointed by Paul Decanagane of the Automobile Club and Carl Lahn of the Leipzig Tageblatt today decided there was no adequate reason for a duel to which the Frenchman had challenged the German.

German View of Huerta's Abdication. Berlin, July 16.—The German press appears inclined to consider the abdication of General Huerta as a pyrrhic victory for President Wilson, which will not change the situation in any manner.

Official Test of Barograph. Little Germany, July 16.—An official test today of the barograph carried by Heinrich Oelerich in his airplane showed that the altitude attained by him on his record ascent here on July 14, was over 8,000 meters, or 26,246 feet, that is only 154 feet less than five miles.

Memorial Windows to Pochontas. Gravesend, England, July 16.—The unveiling and dedication of two memorial windows to Pocahontas, the daughter of the Virginia Indian chief, was made the occasion today of a general holiday in this little town on the banks of the Thames, and its public buildings and private residences were all brightly decorated.

CARBAJAL TO GIVE WAY TO CARRANZA

United States Has Been Informally Notified.

Washington, July 16.—Francisco Carballo, successor to General Huerta as provisional president of Mexico, today advised the United States government informally that he intended to retire in favor of General Carranza, the constitutionalist chief.

EX-PRESIDENT HUERTA TO JOIN FAMILY. At Puerto Mexico—Train Moving Slowly—Referred to as Officer of Rear Guard.

Puerto Mexico, July 16.—With his family and other dear to him already out of the zone of possible danger, ex-President Huerta is moving towards this port tonight in a special train that should land him here early tomorrow morning. The train is moving leisurely, making a number of stops and the incident thereby is robbed of much that otherwise might characterize General Huerta's departure from the capital as a flight.

Huerta's friends here point to the manner in which he stood back urging those whom he cared for to leave before he and his family were to be escorted to Vera Cruz from the capital, Huerta to whom the deposed president uttered words which seemed to him to be a prophecy.

No one here knows just where and how and when Huerta will say goodbye, but the majority believe that he will leave the city tonight. Some of the residents desire to meet the retiring president and for this purpose they are talking about organizing a reception committee, but federal officers and members of his family doubt whether Huerta would give them the opportunity on account of his desire not to embarrass any of the friends whom he is leaving.

The orders of the Dresden and Bristol still place them at the disposition of the exiles, but nothing more definite than this is known. It is understood, however, that the exiles will be cared for on the Bristol while General Huerta and Blumstein and perhaps the other men will be taken aboard the German cruiser.

CHINESE HERE FOR STUDY OF GOVERNMENTAL FORMS.

Preparing Themselves For Greater Service to Their Own Country. San Francisco, July 16.—Headed by General Hsing Hsing, who led the republicans in the first revolution in China, five Chinese are here today with a price on their heads because of their activity in a movement for the overthrow of President Yuan Shi Kai of China. The first of a demonstrative throng of their countrymen to greet them at the hotel where they are staying is a Chinese student, daughter of General Hwang, who crossed the continent from New York, where she has lived for some time.

The Chinese are visiting the United States to study political and governmental forms to prepare themselves for greater service to China, they said.

FOUR FATALLY SHOT IN GANGSTERS' FIGHTS.

Three Hundred Men and Boys Engage in Battle at Omaha. Omaha, Neb., July 16.—Four persons were fatally shot last night during two fights between rival gangsters, in one of which three hundred men and boys engaged. The four fatally hurt are: Nala Lind, 16; Fred Schroeder, 25, former city councilman; Peter Schroeder, William Rapp, all four received one or more bullets through the body and all are said by physicians to be fatally injured.

Arrested on Serious Charge. East Providence, R. I., July 16.—John Landry, aged 24, of Plymouth, Mass., was arrested today in connection with his alleged elopement with Gertrude Hinchliffe, aged 14, also of Plymouth. He was charged with kidnapping and was taken to town, where he will face a serious charge. The girl was found here last night. Her parents took her home today.

Cut His Wife's Throat. New Bedford, Mass., July 16.—Mrs. John Fairhurst of Woodlawn street was taken to the hospital today with her throat cut and her husband was taken into custody by the police. The woman is in a critical condition. The couple are well known among the English residents of the city.

Mexican Feds Evacuate Guaymas. Naco, Ariz., July 16.—The Mexican federal troops evacuated Guaymas at 11 a. m. today, according to advices received here by railroad officials.

Senora Huerta on No Theory of British Cruiser

OTHER DISTINGUISHED REFUGEES ARE WITH HER

AT PUERTO MEXICO STATE'S ATTORNEY SAYS

Police Have Been Informed That Many of the Stains from Mrs. Angles' Rooms Have Failed to Discolor Blood Crystals.

Stamford, Conn., July 16.—That the state is not committed to any particular theory of the death of Valdo R. Ballou, and is not yet ready to form a conclusion of the manner in which he received the injuries which caused his death after a visit to the apartments of Mrs. Helen M. Angles here, was the substance of a statement issued late today by State's Attorney Homer S. Cummings. It was the first public statement made by the state's attorney in connection with the case. It said:

Many Important Aspects. "There have been so many assertions made concerning the state's theory of the Ballou death that it may be improper to say that up to the present time the state has not committed to any particular theory and does not expect to formulate one until the facts have been assembled. There are many important aspects of the matter which require further consideration. I have no purpose other than to state the truth. The case is proceeding with thoroughness and caution. I am taking certain steps, the scope and purpose of which will appear hereafter.

No Hasty Conclusion. "I have had too much experience to be led to a hasty conclusion based upon insufficient or ill-considered data. Justified in the time and thought involved in its careful consideration." The police have been informed, but upon no authority is it stated that many of the stains from Mrs. Angles' rooms which have been examined by the coroner's analyst have failed to disclose blood crystals. The expectation here is that the coroner will conclude his inquest next Monday. The belief is also held that Mrs. Angles, who is now held without bail in connection with the investigation, may be again admitted to bail.

MRS. ANGLE HAS NERVOUS COLLAPSE. Physician Has Advised Her Immediate Removal to a Sanatorium. Stamford, Conn., July 16.—Mrs. Helen M. Angles, who is held without bail pending the outcome of the coroner's inquest on the death of Valdo R. Ballou, which occurred the latter part of last month, collapsed in her quarters at the local hotel where she is now in such a nervous condition that her physician, Dr. J. H. Staub, strongly advised her immediate removal to a sanatorium. Mrs. Angles spent a good part of today with her father, Leonard Blondel, in the office of the coroner. Early in the evening she was taken back to her quarters and her father left for dinner. Later he returned to the lockup and on going to his daughter's quarters he found her lying on the floor. She apparently did not recognize him, and one of her daughters, who was with her, said she had been bitten. Dr. Staub was called and said she must be placed in a sanatorium at once. As this could not be done tonight, a trained nurse was secured to spend the night with her. If her condition is not improved by morning, it is expected that arrangements to place her in a sanatorium will be made.

TRYING TO AVERT WESTERN RAILROAD STRIKE. Managers' Committee Requests Definite Propositions from Strikers' Committee. Chicago, July 16.—A step toward the suspension of negotiations between the 55,000 engineers and firemen of 88 western railroads and the railroads was taken today by the conference committee of the railroads, in a letter asking for a definite statement of the propositions supported by the unions.

The letter was addressed to W. S. Bond, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and W. S. Carter, the head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engine-men, and was in response to the formal notification of the result of the vote in which nearly all the employees favored a strike.

The result of the managers' committee was in the following words: "Please advise this committee the definite propositions you are now supporting under the authority given by this strike vote, and which we may understand to be the basis of settlement by which a strike may be averted."

The letter was signed by A. V. Trenholm, chairman of the managers' committee, and a general manager of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway.

It was expected the union officials would consider the communication of the managers' committee at a meeting later in the day before drafting their reply.

Haitian Rebels Won Victory. Washington, July 16.—Haitian rebels were victors yesterday in a battle on the road from Cape Haitien to Milet, according to dispatches from Cap-Haitien, the capital of the South American island.

A general attack was planned for today to drive the rebels from the plains. Unrest in San Domingo continued with exchanges of shots of the besieged city. In the west there is comparatively no fighting.

Roosevelt Booked for St. Louis. St. Louis, July 16.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, last night authorized the progressive city committee to announce he will speak in St. Louis about the middle of October.

Rear Admiral Robeson Dead. Walpole, Mass., July 16.—Rear Admiral Henry B. Robeson, U. S. N., retired, formerly commander of the navy yard at Portsmouth, N. H., died tonight. He was 72 years old.

Heavy Storms in North Sea. Cuxhaven, Germany, July 16.—Heavy storms in the North sea have damaged shipping heavily. Severe losses in men and ships are reported.

Condensed Telegrams

Lincoln de Zayas, formerly Secretary of Public Instruction in Cuba, is dead.

Paul S. Galatini, a member of New York Cotton Exchange, is dead.

The American Federation of Motorcyclists opened its annual convention at St. Louis.

As a result of stepping on a nail, Miss Della Oberler, of New York, died from lockjaw.

A seven-day boycott on meats was begun by members of the Housewives League at St. Paul.

The estate of Sir Julius Wernher, the South African mine operator, is valued at \$67,500,000.

The People's Bank at Donaldville, La., was ordered closed. The bank had deposits of \$285,000.

George Ryan, of Madison, who some days ago battered his head with a hammer, died at New Haven.

The German cruiser Nurnberg arrived at San Francisco after being stationed in Mexican waters.

Arthur Southgate, of Maspeth, L. I., fell from a cherry tree, fractured his lower jaw and knocked out ten teeth.

Ernest L. Carr, treasurer of the United Electric Securities Co. of Boston died at his home in Melrose, Mass.

John H. Clark of Cleveland was nominated by President Wilson to be Federal District Judge of northern Ohio.

Representative William G. Sharp, the newly wedded, returned from Europe for the last of this month.

Typhoid fever is raging in the St. Mary's Orphan Asylum at Newark, N. J. Thirteen cases have been reported.

Workmen engaged in digging a building foundation on Dominick street, New York, unearthed the skeleton of a man.

Authorities at Cincinnati have ordered individual drinking pails for horses to prevent the spread of glanders.

Reverend, a powerful mastiff, saved the lives of Louis and Philip Graham, of Sharon, Pa., when they fell into the Shenango River.

Admiral Dewey wants to learn to tango. He made the announcement in a letter to the young folks at Manhattan Beach.

A general holiday was declared at John's Newfoundland, because of the arrival of the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General.

Captain Harold A. Campbell of Philadelphia was appointed assistant inspector of hulls in the United States Steamboat Service.

The Fabre-Har Maraden, which arrived in New York from Naples, is reported to have passed through two severe electrical storms.

William A. Minford, cashier for the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co. of New York, was arrested charged with the larceny of \$222.

Jabez Wolfe was forced to abandon swim across the English Channel after covering three-quarters of the distance. It was his 11th attempt.

John Mee, a mounted policeman of Flintshire, L., was run over and killed by an automobile owned by Dr. Matthew S. Borden, of New York.

Elbridge T. Gerry, who arrived in New York on the Imperator, was reported seriously ill on the voyage over and was in care of private physicians.

The urn containing the ashes of Lillian Nordica were brought to this country by George W. Young, on board the Imperator.

J. S. Brown, former general freight agent of the Illinois Central, has been appointed manager of the transportation department of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Bryan Out for Woman Suffrage

IS TO SUPPORT AMENDMENT IN NEBRASKA

A FORMAL STATEMENT

Says Woman Had Proved Herself Equal to Every Responsibility Imposed Upon Her and Would Not Fail in This Emergency.

Washington, July 16.—Secretary Bryan, in a formal statement, issued tonight, came out for woman suffrage. He declared that he would ask no political right for himself that he was not willing to grant to his wife and announced his intention of supporting the proposed state constitutional amendment extending the franchise to women to be voted upon in Nebraska next November.

Right of the Mother to Vote. Woman, Mr. Bryan said, had proved herself equal to every responsibility imposed upon her, and would not fail in this emergency. Above all other arguments in favor of giving her the ballot he placed the right of the mother to vote in the molding of the environment of her children. "The mother," the secretary said, "can justly claim the right to employ every weapon which can be made effective for the protection of those whose interests she guards, and the ballot will put within her reach all of the instrumentalities of government, including the police power."

Will Support Suffrage in Nebraska. The statement says: "The voters of Nebraska, will, at the election next November, and must work out amendment extending suffrage to women on equal terms with men. As a citizen of that state it will be my duty to participate in the decision to be rendered at the polls. I have delayed expressing an opinion on this subject, partly because I have been seeking information, and partly because I have been seeking information, and partly because my time has been occupied with matters on questions upon which the entire country was acting; but now that the issue is presented in my state, I take my position. I shall support the amendment which shall ask no political rights for myself that I am not willing to grant to my wife."

Man and Woman Must Work Out Their Destiny. "As man and woman are co-tentants of the earth and must work out their destiny together, the presumption is on the side of equality of treatment in all that pertains to their civil life and that as woman's burden of proof is on those who claim for one advantage over the other in determining the conditions under which both sexes shall share the rights of citizenship, it is my duty to me to be invalid, while the argument advanced in support of the proposition are in my judgment, convincing."

Old Objection Abandoned. "The old objection which I remember to have heard every full of care and that the addition of suffrage would either overburden her or turn her attention away from her more weighty home. The chief's first teacher is able to intelligently discuss with her family the science of government and the art of successfully administering it."

Would Not Sacrifice Respect. "Third, many well meaning men and women affirm that suffrage would work harm to woman by lessening the respect in which she is held. This argument is based on the fact that it has not been employed against every proposition advanced in favor of the enlargement of woman's sphere. This objection was once raised to the higher education of women, but it is no longer heard. The same objection was offered each time the doors have opened and woman, instead of suffering degradation, has risen."

These objections, however honestly advanced, have proven potent to retard woman's progress."

EIGHT CHINESE DETAINED AT IMMIGRANT STATION. Are Suspected of Being in the United States Illegally. Philadelphia, July 16.—Eight Chinese, one a woman, who are suspected of being in the United States illegally, are detained today at the Philadelphia immigration station pending an investigation. They were arrested last night by government inspectors at the New York, Pa., Lansdowne, Pa., and in this city. Several of the Chinese, it is said, are believed to be material witnesses in connection with a smuggling case which originated in Saginaw, Mich.

An immigration official admitted today that a Chinese interpreter stationed at this port for some time had been suspended, owing, it is said, to the disclosures in Saginaw.

GREATEST TROOP MOVEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONALISTS. Sixty-eight Trains Transporting Army to the South. Monterey, Mexico, July 16.—The greatest troop movement in the history of the constitutionalist army was started today when General Pablo Gonzales left Saltillo with the remainder of his forces for San Luis Potosi and the south. Sixty-eight trains were required to transport the troops, which included infantry, cavalry and artillery.